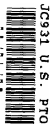


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APPLICATION FOR U.S. PATENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL FORM

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the utility patent application of:

Inventor(s) or Application Identifier:

Donald O'Connor

Entitled: SONET ADD/DROP MULTIPLEXER WITH PACKET OVER
SONET CAPABILITY

APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

1. ☒ **This Fee Transmittal Form**
2. **Applicant is:**
☒ **Large Entity**
☐ **Small Entity**
☐ **Small Entity Statement enclosed**
☐ **Small Entity Statement filed in prior application.**
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3. ☒ **Specification (15 Total Pages)**
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6. **The accompanying application is:**

- ☐ Original
☒ **Continuation**
☐ Divisional
☐ Continuation-In-Part (CIP)

Prior Application No.: 09/303,428

Filed: May 3, 1999

Examiner: H. Vu

Group/Art Unit: 2663

which is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

(For Continuation or Divisional Applications only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5 above, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.)

7. ☐ Priority of foreign Application No. _____, filed on _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.

☐ A certified copy is attached.

☐ A certified copy was filed in prior Application Serial No. _____, filed _____.

8. ☒ The prior application is assigned of record to Fujitsu Network Communications, Inc., a California corporation, at reel 9943, frame 0152 in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office records, and was recorded on May 3, 1999.

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	Number		Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee
					\$ 740.00
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS:

9. ☐ An Assignment of the invention to _____ is attached. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.28 and § 3.31 is included with an Assignment recordal fee of \$____ pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h).
10. ☒ **Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) PTO-1449**
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11. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
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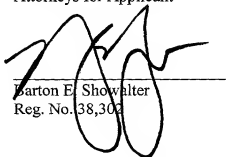
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